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FOR: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR GENERATION THREE-DIMENSIONAL

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50 pages of specification, claims, abstract.

Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Priority Claimed.

Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-291489

16 sheets of formal drawing.

An assignment of the invention to MINOLTA CO., LTD.

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